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June 8, 2011

**By ECF**

The Honorable Cheryl M. Pollak  
United States Magistrate Judge  
Eastern District of New York  
225 Cadman Plaza East  
Brooklyn, New York 11201

Re: United States v. Battista Geritano  
Criminal Docket No. 03-970 (SJ)

Dear Judge Pollak:

On June 8, 2011, the Court granted the defendant's application for bond in the above-captioned matter. The government will appeal the Court's decision before United States District Court Judge Sterling Johnson, Jr., on Monday, June 13, 2011, at 9:30 a.m. The government respectfully requests that the Court stay its order pending Judge Johnson's decision on the appeal.

Respectfully submitted,

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cc: Defense counsel (by ECF)